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¶11. (SBU) DCM delivered reftel points and proposals on March 22 to Sharifa Amalina Murad, Assistant Director of the ASEAN Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs and Trade (MOFAT). Sharifa welcomed receiving the proposals in advance but had no initial comment.

¶12. (SBU) Sharifa and MOFAT Deputy Permanent Secretary Datin Masrainah will travel Helsinki for the ARF Inter-sessional Support Group meeting. Sharifa was previously posted to the Brunei mission to the EU and joined the Brunei delegation to Germany for the EU-ASEAN meeting March 14-15.

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